

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Akira YOSHIDA  Application No.: Not yet assigned  Filed:               December 9, 2005  Attorney Docket No.: 01050-1008 Client Docket No.:   PCT04004US	Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned  Examiner: Not yet assigned
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For: VULCANIZED FLUORO RUBBER AND HOT-PRESS CUSHION MATERIAL  
 COMPRISING THE SAME

Commissioner for Patents  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Before examination of this application, please amend this application as follows:

AMENDMENT AND PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS..... 2  
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